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Keynote Insurance Co. of Philadelphia.
Capital.....\$300,000
ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR
Ending January 1, 1896
Assets of the Company, consisting of Bonds and
Mortgages on unencumbered real estate.....\$110,694 00
Stocks of other Corporations, worth.....25,486 30
Cash on hand.....31,339 70
Bills receivable, consisting of Marine
notes and short loans.....\$36,943 00
Stock notes.....\$14,386 00
Total.....\$219,420 00
Whole receipts for premiums during
the year.....\$118,812 06
Paid for losses and expenses during
the year.....71,133 04
F. M. MORIARTY, President.
J. MORRIS THOMPSON, Secretary.

Risks changed from other companies to this
charge for policy fee. Enquire at the office of
J. M. Moriarty, over R. Morrow's Exchange Office,
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Feb 7-3m DAVID MYERLE, Agent.

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**DOCTOR STANISLAS HERNIZ, REG-
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Europe with improved health, will attend to the
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El Dottore parla Italiano. mar 7-3m

**ANTHONY BUCHLY,
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Shop and Residence No. 303 Penn. avenue,
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HAVING PROVIDED HIMSELF WITH
ALL THE LATEST AND BEST MACHINERY,
and necessary conveniences for
properly conducting his business,
will respectfully inform the public that he is
fully prepared to fill all orders entrusted to him,
at the shortest notice, and at the best prices.
A large supply of READY-MADE COFFINS
of all sizes, always on hand, which will be fur-
nished on the most reasonable terms.
As heretofore, no pains will be spared to give
entire satisfaction to all customers.
N. B.—Reading on the premises, orders will be
promptly attended to at all hours.
Feb 7-3m

**JONAS P. LEVY,
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WINE, LIQUORS, CIGARS, AND FINE
GROCERIES.**
General Commission and Forwarding Merchant
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N. B.—Country Merchants are requested to give
me a call before purchasing elsewhere.
Oct 1-ly

CHOICE FRUIT TREES FOR SALE.
APPLE TREES, OF EXTRA
growth and well assorted.
\$100 PEACH TREES, forming a com-
plete assortment and well grown.
A few very choice Dwarf PEAR TREES, of
extra size.
The above comprising a very choice assortment
of Trees were raised by the late John H. King,
they will be guaranteed to be what they are rep-
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Apply to W. Albert King, No. 35 south High
street, Georgetown, D. C., or at Valley View
Farm, one mile northwest of Georgetown.
Catalogues furnished on application.
E. J. KING.
Also, for sale, a few thousand very choice
ROSES. Apply as above. E. J. K.
mar 11-1f

**CHAUNCEY WARRNER,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER.**
AND DEALER IN FINE WATCHES, JEW-
elry and SILVERWARE, would respect-
fully solicit the attention of those who desire a
good article to his choice variety of London, Gen-
eva and Copenhagen WATCHES, selected with
the view of time-keeping and durable qualities,
for which a suitable guarantee will be furnished
on no purchase.
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FINE JEWELRY, SILVER SPOONS, GOB-
LETS, CUPS, FORKS, &c., for sale at N. York
Prices.
The Chronometer, Duplex, Lever, Cylinder,
Repeating, Musical and other WATCHES re-
paired.
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Brown's Hotel Building, opposite Post Office.
GOLDEN WATCH,
Washington, D. C.
Jan 20-3m

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MARRIAGE GUIDE, OR NATURAL HIS-
tory of Generation, for the use of married
persons and those about to marry, of both sexes;
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in health and disease, from infancy to old age,
with the treatment of all their derangements; for
every man's own private use; with colored plates;
price, \$1.
"A POPULAR TREATISE ON VENEREAL
DISEASES," their cure and prevention; for private
use; with colored plates, price, \$1.
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wifery and the Diseases of Pregnancy and Child-
birth, for every female's own private use; price
\$1.
"THE DISEASES OF WOMEN—THEIR
Causes and Treatment.
Any of the Books can be had of the agent,
A. L. SINGER & CO., 7th street, opposite Post Office.
mar 20-3m

SEAGRAM, TOBACCO AND SUFF.
H. TOBACCO AND SUFF, has just re-
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ity. Also, dealer in Meerschaum and other
Figs, and other articles usually kept in a Fancy
Store. Consumers are respectfully invited
to give me a call.
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under Washington House.
mar 10-1m

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Improved Sewing Machines.
To which was granted the highest Award of
the Paris Exhibition, and for receiving
the World's Verdict of Superiority.
THE IMPROVEMENTS IN THIS MA-
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and they are capable of executing twice the amount
of work they did formerly in any given time.
They are without question the only Machine ca-
pable of sewing every variety of goods perfect; a
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sewn by any of these machines by a simple change
of needle and thread in such a manner that the
closest scrutiny cannot detect the difference.
Manufacturers, planters and families will find
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are built strong and durable, and not likely to
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We have machines with gauges attached, for
blinding hats, cap fronts, collars, &c.
Silk, Thread, Cotton, Needles, &c., constantly
on hand, at the lowest rates.
Persons desirous of information regarding Sew-
ing Machines will please address
J. M. SINGER & CO.,
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N. B.—We are prepared to exchange these ma-
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made. We have been induced to purchase
inferior machines, under the pretext of being
cheap, and find this a benefit indeed.
mar 10-1f

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BOYS' VESTS, BOYS' SHIRTS,
BOYS' COATS, BOYS' SACKS,
BOYS' DRAWERS, BOYS' UNDERSHIRTS,
BOYS' CAPS, BOYS' SUSPENDERS,
BOYS' COLLARS, BOYS' CRAWLS.**
Being the largest and finest assortment of Boys'
READY-MADE GARMENTS, suitable for dress
and school wear, to be found this side of New
York, which we particularly invite the atten-
tion of Parents and Teachers, assuring them that
all goods will be offered at the low, at prices.
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mar 22

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variety of CLOCKS, all warranted to
keep good time one year, at
J. M. SINGER & CO.,
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mar 21-1m
opposite Browns' Hotel.**

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fice, at 306, betw. 9th and 10th sts.
ap 9
JOHN F. ELLIS.

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OFFICIAL.
TRASURY DEPARTMENT, Dec. 1, 1895.
Notice is hereby given to holders of stocks of
the United States that this Department will pur-
chase to the amount of \$1,500,000 of said stocks
at any time when the same may be offered prior to
the 1st day of June next, and will pay therefor the
following prices, to wit:
For stock of the loan of 1849, a premium of ten
per cent.; for stock of the loans of 1847 and 1848,
a premium of sixteen per cent.; for stock issued
under the act of 1850, commonly called Texas In-
demnity stock, a premium of six per cent.; and
for stock of the loan of 1846, redeemable on the
19th November, 1846, if received at the Treasury
prior to the 1st day of January next, a premium
of 2 1/2 per cent.; if received between the 1st Janu-
ary and the 31st of March next, a premium of
3 per cent.; and if received after the 31st of March
and prior to the 1st day of June next, a premium of
1 1/2 per cent.
Interest will also be allowed on said stocks at
the rates specified in the certificates, from the 1st
July last, if assigned with the principal of the
certificates received prior to the 1st of January
next. After that date the interest will be allowed
in addition to the premium from 1st of January to
the date of their receipt. In both cases one day's
interest will be allowed in addition for the money
to reach the seller.
Certificates transmitted to this Department un-
der the present notice should be duly assigned to
the United States (with the current half year's)
interest, if sent prior to the 1st of January next,
by the party entitled to receive the purchase money.
Payment for these stocks will be made by drafts
upon the assistant treasurer at Boston, New York,
or Philadelphia, as the parties entitled to receive
the money may direct.
JAMES GUTHRIE,
Secy of the Treasury.
dec 3-41Junel

**THE RISE AND FALL OF THE Dutch
Republic.** A history by John Lathrop Mot-
ley. 3 vols. 8vo.
A Second Journey round the World, by Madame
Plefier.
The Teacher, by Jacob Abbott.
Confession, or the Blind Heart, by W. Gilmore
Simms. 8vo.
The Private Life of an Eastern King, by William
Knighton. 1 vol. London.
Sheridan Knowles' Dramatic Works, 3 volumes.
The Pirates of the Mississippi, by Frederick
Guttsacker. 1 vol. London.
ap 15
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Silver-plated Table and Dessert
Knives; Ivory Handle Knives; Knives and
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vers; Beef Slicers; Bread Knives, &c.
Remember, prices are low on 7th st., especially
at 490.
ap 14-
G. FRANCIS.

**S. P. HOOVER,
Iron Hall Boot, Shoe and Trunk Establish-
ment.**
JUST RECEIVED MY STOCK OF SPRING
BOOTS AND SHOES for ladies, mis-
ses, and children.
Also, a large assortment of Gents, Boys and
Youths' French Patent Leather and
Rubber Boots, Shoes and Pumps, all of which I will
sell low for cash.
My assortment of TRAVELING TRUNKS
cannot be surpassed in any city south of New
York.
ap 11-
S. P. HOOVER, Iron Hall.

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100 BBLs RUSSSET NO. 1 APPLS
25 do Baldwin do do
Now arriving per schooner "Gaspar," and
for sale by
HARTLEY & BRO
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ap 11

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in sets—Just opened from the importer a
full assortment of—
Collars and Sleeves in sets
Cambric and Muslin Collars at very low prices
Also, White Cambrics
Plain and Figured Swiss Mullins
Plaid Cambrics and White Brilliants at 15¢ cts.
With many other Goods very cheap.
WM R. RILEY,
ap 12-1m Cor. 8th st., opp. Center Market.

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Professor of Singing and the Flute,
BEGS TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS
of Washington that he proposes establishing
SINGING CLASSES for two, three or four pupils,
whereby each voice will be properly ex-
tended, and separately cultivated, according to
its quality, which could not be done consistently
with simultaneous teaching—As Sopranos,
Mezzo Sopranos, and Contralto Voices require a
widely different training. The same care is ne-
cessary in the case of the Flute, and the quality
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vanced to sing by themselves they will then be
taught to take their respective parts in Duets,
Trios, or Quartets.
Terms: per quarter: \$10 for each pupil, if only
two pupils one hour will be devoted, and an extra
half hour for every additional pupil; \$20 per
quarter for separate pupils.
ap 5-1f 257 Pennsylvania avenue.**

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street, between 10th and 11th streets, N. W.
interments procured in any ground
cemetery. Coffins, Caps, Shrouds, Carriages,
Hearse, and every article for interments of
the best quality furnished at short notice, on the
lowest terms, and with the greatest promptness.
Having the exclusive right of Crump's
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the adjoining counties that he is
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the shortest notice and on the most liberal terms.
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A large supply of ready made COFFINS of
all sizes and qualities, always on hand.
Shrouds, Carriages, Hearse, and every other
article furnished of the best quality.
A share of the public patronage is respectfully
solicited.
mar 24-1f

**FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—SEVERAL
seven-octave rosewood PIANO-
FORTES, elegantly finished, will be
sold low for cash or good paper, or will be
exchanged for building material and work. These
instruments may be seen at my Saloon, and any
person disposed to purchase or trade will please
make early application.
mar 26
LEWIS CARUSI.**

**THREE PIANOS RECEIVED THIS
week, and for sale low, at the great Piano
and Music Store of JOHN F. ELLIS, 306 Penn.
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ONLY 12¢ CENTS.
BUCKLEY'S CELEBRATED SONG BOOK
for the parlor, containing a collection of new
and popular songs, as sung by Buckley's New
Orleans Serenaders at their opera house, Broad-
way, New York. For sale by the agent,
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**WATCHES AND JEWELRY 25 per
cent. cheaper than can
be bought elsewhere in Wash-
ington.**
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mar 21-1m 349 Pa. av., opp. Browns' Hotel.

APPLES AND POTATOES.
100 bbls prime Boston APPLES
100 bbls prime Mercer POTATOES
For sale by
HARTLEY & BROTHER,
mar 25
Georgetown.

**L. J. MIDDLETON,
DEALER IN ICE.**
Office and Depot—Southwest corner of F and
Twelfth streets. feb 27-1f

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TORY.**
**LADIES DRESS TRIMMINGS IN FRIN-
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every variety on hand and made to order. Wide
Tassels, Fringes, Braid and Buttons, fancy
wash TRIMMINGS, &c.
No 297 Pa. avenue, south side.
ap 12, 15-19* MRS. LOWE.

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WHO SUFFER RHEUMATIC PAINS.**
The subscribers, late from Europe, recommend
to the public their infallible remedy as a perfect
cure for all RHEUMATIC pains.
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from D, and opposite east front of City Hall, and
it is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays, between
the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock p. m.
All orders left will be promptly attended.
ap 12-eod3m MELO & OPPENHEIM.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.
WE ARE DAILY ADDING TO OUR
large assortment of Boots, Shoes, and
SHOES for Ladies, Misses, Children,
Gentlemen, Boys, and Youths. You will
save time and money by calling early and
selecting. Have another supply of those
new style Gaiters received today.
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ap 2-TTh&S1m

**J. KIRKWOOD,
CONVEYANCER,
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ATTENDS TO THE SALE AND TRANS-
FER OF REAL ESTATE, and the Court of
Claims; Procures County Land Warrants, Pen-
sions and other Claims.
Office, No. 514 Seventh street, opposite the Na-
tional Engineering Office, Washington, D. C.
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FOR GENTLEMEN.
NEW SPRING GOODS, EMBRACING A
general variety of the newest and prettiest
styles and fashions. Orders promptly filled.
Constantly on hand a good supply of Garments,
ready made, of superior quality.
Also, fine Dress Shirts, with Gauze, Silk,
and Underdresses, Furnishing and Toilet Goods
in great variety.
Merchant Tailor and Clothier, Browns' Hotel,
mar 25-w1f Pa. avenue.

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**THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST OPENED
HER SPRING STOCK OF SILK
AND STRAW BONNETS, RIBBONS,
FLOWERS, &c., and respectfully invite**
my friends and the public to call, as if by
appointment, to see a very beautiful, fash-
ionable, and useful lot of Millinery; all of which
is for sale at extraordinary low prices. My latest
selections of the new styles of PARIS BONNETS
of the latest and most fashionable designs are
unsurpassed in the United States.
MISS WALLACE,
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mar 21-2a1m between 7th and 8th sts.

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**THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST RE-
turned from the Eastern Markets with**
one of the largest and most varied assort-
ments of FRENCH BONNETS, adapted
to the season, ever offered in this market.
Also, a large stock of French FLOWERS,
RIBBONS, RIBBONS, STRAW
GOODS, &c., &c.
Ladies Dress TRIMMINGS in great pro-
portion.
Particular attention paid to Dress making
in the latest French styles. Neatness and despatch
may be relied on in all cases.
M. WILLIAM,
Market Space, between 7th and 8th streets.
mar 11-eod6m

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ographic Drawing and Printing.**
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC PRINTING.
WASHINGTON, April 10, 1896.
**DUPLICATED PROPOSALS WILL BE RE-
ceived at this office until the 25th day of April**
instant, at 12 o'clock, m., for Engraving upon
Copper, for the use of the Senate and House of
Representatives, in the best manner, fifteen Charts
of colors, &c., to accompany the report of
Commodore Perry of the recent expedition to
Japan.
Also, for transferring and printing from stone,
eighteen thousand four hundred and twenty im-
pressions of each chart.
Also, for drawing on stone, and printing in one
or more colors, the same number of impressions
of certain plates of Natural History and Conchology,
to accompany the same report.
Also, for transferring and cutting on wood, in
the very best style, one hundred and twenty
machinery (1 1/2 by 7 1/2 inches) to illustrate the
report of the Commissioner of Patents on Me-
chanics.
Also, for transferring from copper, and printing
in the best manner, twenty-two thousand nine
hundred and twenty impressions of sixty
charts, to accompany the annual report of the
Superintendent of the Coast Survey.
Also, for engraving on stone, or drawing in
crayon and coloring, twenty-three thousand nine
hundred and twenty impressions of each of certain
quarto plates (8 by 9 inches) of Botany, Natural
History, Conchology, and Geology, to accompany
the reports of surveys of route for railroad to
Pacific ocean coast.
The illustrations will be open at this office, for
the inspection of those persons desirous of bid-
ding for the same, until the closing of the bids,
and any information desired will also be furnished.
Also, for drawing and engraving on stone, and
printing and coloring, for the use of the House of
Representatives, 10,000 copies of a map of Central
America.
The paper required for printing the lithographs
will be furnished by this office.
Contracts will be entered into with, and bonds
with security will be required from the successful
bidders for the faithful execution of their con-
tracts.
It is to be distinctly understood that no bids
will be entertained from any parties not directly
engaged in, and practically acquainted with the
style of work bid for.
No bids will be received separately the price, and
by one price, for each class of work bid for, and
in the lithography, the price for engraving or draw-
ing; and the price for printing, either transfer in
crayon or colors, the price per hundred and one
thousand copies, and compared with other propo-
sals, the price required for the execution of the work,
or portions of the same; and must be addressed,
one to the chairman of the Committee on Engraving,
House of Representatives, United States,
and one to A. G. Seaman, Superintendent of Public
Printing, Washington, D. C., and be endorsed
"Proposals for Copper-plate" or "Wood Engraving"
or "Lithography."
A. G. SEAMAN,
Superintendent.
ap 10-eod25th

**NOTICE OF THE removal of the land office from
Brownsville to Chatfield, in the Terri-
tory of MINNESOTA.**
IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVI-
sions of the act of Congress entitled "An act
authorizing changes in the location of land
offices," approved March 3d, 1893, it is hereby
declared and made known that the land office
for the sale of the public lands in the "Root-river
district," in the Territory of Minnesota, will be
removed from the town of Brownsville, its pre-
sent location, to Chatfield, in said Territory, on
and after the 31st day of May next.
Given under my hand, at the City of Washington,
this 24 day of April, A. D. 1896.
By order of the President:
THOS. A. HENDRICKS,
Commissioner General Land Office.
ap 5-law6w

**MILLER & CUNNINGHAM,
PLUMBERS, GAS AND STEAM FITTERS,**
395 Pa. avenue, betw. 13th and 14th sts.
LIFT AND FORCE PUMPS, HYDRAULIC
Rams, Four inch, Galvanizing Tubs,
Shower Bath Fixtures, Marble Wash Bas-
ins, Water Closets.
Lead, Iron and copper SINKS.
Dwellings, Stores and Public Buildings fitted
for Gas.
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Worm Destroying Syrup.**
THE ONLY KNOWN REMEDY WHICH
never fails to destroy Worms without injury
to the patient. It is warranted to be a purely vege-
table compound, and is pleasant to take, and in its
operation. It needs but a trial to prove its effi-
cacy. Price 15 cents a bottle. For sale at
JOHN SCHWARTZ'S,
No. 468 Pa. avenue, next to U. S. Hotel.
P. S.—A liberal deduction will be made to the
trade.
BARGAINS AT ELLIS'; he is selling
out.
ap 9-1f

**ALNWICK FRENCH AND ENGLISH FE-
MALE SEMINARY.**
FOR BOARDING PUPILS.
SITUATED SIXTEEN MILES ON THE
Baltimore and Washington Railroad, at
Tumpike, and two miles south of the village of
Lanark.
M. A. TYSON & SISTERS respectfully in-
form their patrons and others that it is their in-
tention to close, permanently, their school in
the city on the 21st April, and that the summer
term of their Alnwick Institution will open on
MONDAY, May 5th.
And applications may be made at their city resi-
dence, until 1st May, or by letter addressed to the
Laurel Post Office, Md.
N. B.—Every facility is afforded for the acqui-
sition of the French Language and Music.
ap 14-1dMay10

GAS LIGHT!—GAS LIGHT!
Always sure, and under your own control!
**GALLAGHER & SMITH HAVING PER-
fected their PORTABLE GAS GENERA-
TOR, now offer it to the public, assuring them**
that it is free from all objections which have
been urged against other inventions for accom-
plishing artificial illumination. It will generate
more Gas, at less expense, than any other Ap-
paratus, take up less space, and is free from all
noxious odors, while its original cost is fifty per
cent. less. For Public Buildings or Private
Dwellings this GENERATOR will be found pecu-
liarly applicable, and in the country highly ad-
vantageous, as the Gas can be manufactured
wherever and whenever it is needed, and is con-
sidered safe and thrown away. It is very simple in
its construction, net liable to get out of order, and
can be tended with entire safety by an ignorant
servant, or child, without the least danger.
The patentees do not think it necessary, in an
advertisement, to give any long description of
their GAS GENERATOR, those desirous of being
supplied will examine for themselves, they would,
therefore, thank, respectfully, the public to
visit the Gas Works and Plumbing Establishment of
MILLER & CUNNINGHAM,
No. 395 Pennsylvania avenue, south side,
Who are the "ole and General Agents, where the
Gas can be seen burning, and all particulars as-
certained relative to the Generator, &c. ap 11-1m

**THE GREAT REMEDY IS AT LAST
DISCOVERED!**
And that Fall destroyer of Human Happi-
ness as length Conqueror.
CONSUMPTION SHALL NO LONGER ROB
our friends of their bright ornaments, and
sink many a gentle spirit to an untimely grave.
Consumption can be cured. Asthma will soon
be as the things that were; and coughs and colds,
the parents of that fell disease that so often brings
weak lungs to the grave, will be as if by magic,
before DEVINE'S COMPOUND PITCH
LOZENGE. These Lozenges act beneficially on
every part of the system, and make strength and
vigor take the place of weakness and debility;
they soothe the inflamed membrane, and induce
rest to sustain life, check the ulceration and raise
the patient to health. This is not a idle boast,
nor is this remedy sent into the market without a
thorough trial, but has proved, beyond a doubt,
that it will cure the most obstinate cases of
Cough and a pamphlet containing certificate
of cures.
ROBT. A. PAYNE, Druggist,
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the District. ap 11-7f

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FINE DE BAIFE AT
White Brilliants 12 1/2¢
Striped and Plain Mullins 12 1/2¢
Extra quality do 12 1/2¢
Black Alpacaes 12 1/2¢
Brown Linens 6 1/2¢
4-4 do 12 1/2¢
Fine Linen Handkerchiefs 12 1/2¢
Extra quality do 12 1/2¢
White Flannels 12 1/2¢
4-4 Fancy Prints 12 1/2¢
4-4 Purple do 12 1/2¢
4-4 Furture Chintz 12 1/2¢
4-4 Brilliants 25 c¢
7-8 Fine Black Shirtings 6 1/2¢
Fine Black Mullins 12 1/2¢
Brown Linen Table Cloths 12 1/2¢
Brown Linen Towels 6 1/2¢
Fine Table Napkins 12 1/2¢
ALSO—
A handsome lot of Black and Colored Vesties,
very cheap.
Also, a large assortment of Embroidery, &c.
W. EGAN & SON,
No. 323 Pa. av., s. side, 3d door from 7th.
ap 14-1f

NEW SPRING MILLINERY.
ON THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH, THIRD,
MRS. THOMPSON will open our stock of
SPRING MILLINERY, and we re-
spectfully solicit a call from Ladies on the
above named day.
H. ROBINSON & MUNRO,
ap 2-tr No. 310, Pa. av., bet. 9th and 10th sts.

**NEW FIRM
AND NEW ARRANGEMENTS.**
**THE UNDERSIGNED, T. POTENTINI &
ZITELL, having formed a copartnership**
with MRS. THOMPSON, will open our stock of
TINWARE AND RESTAURANT BUSINESS, at
279 Pennsylvania avenue, under the style of
POTENTINI & ZITELL,
beg leave to call the attention of the patrons of the
old firm, and the public generally, to the interest-
ing new stock which they now offer for supplying
WEDDING, BALL, and SUPPER PARTIES,
at the shortest possible notice, and with all the de-
licacies both in and out of season.
Rooms furnished for BRICK, EAST, DINNER
and SUPPER, for private parties, at all times.
We have also connected with our establishment
a fine SALOON fitted up expressly for the ladies,
where they can be furnished with GAME and
OYSTERS of all kinds, served up in every style,
and with the most select assortment of French
cuisine always be furnished with every delicacy
that the appetite desires.
Ladies and gentlemen can have their MEALS
sent to them at their private rooms by leaving or-
ders.
We will also pay particular attention to the
manufacturing of plain and ornamental CON-
FECTIONERY in all their branches, and will
also keep on hand a select assortment of French
CONFECTIONS, BON BONS, PRESERVES
&c.
POTENTINI & ZITELL,
279 s. Pa. av., between 10th and 11th sts.
ap 12-2m (Int.)

**ANOTHER SUPPLY OF A FRESH IM-
portation of**
French Pies in half-cans and cans
do
Pates-de Foies Gras, in cans and Tureens
And the Black Truffles in half-cans
This day received and for sale by
J. M. SINGER & CO.,
No. 279 F street, corner of 13th.
(Int.)
ap 14-3f

HORSES FOR SALE
PAIR OF HANDSOME DAPPLE GRAY
HORSES, five and six years old, just
arrived from Western Virginia. To be
seen at SUTTON'S Stables, 8th street. Will be
sold together or separately, and if not sold before
Saturday, the 19th instant, they will positively
be sold on that day, at 10 o'clock, at public auc-
tion, in front of the Bank of Washington.
F. DARNALL,
ap 14-5c

FLATED WAITERS.
A NEW ARTICLE—JUST RECEIVED.
A handsome assortment of very superior PLAT-
ED WAITERS, from 10 to 30 inches, equal in
quality to the best Sheffield Ware, and at very
much lower rates.
M. W. GALT & BROS., Jewelers,
ap 9 384 Pa. av., bet. 9th and 10th streets.

JEWELRY—NEW STYLES.—WE ARE
now opening a handsome assortment of N. W.
JEWELRY, consisting of Coral, Cameo, Pearl,
entaine, Moesle, and Lava Brooches, Bracelets,
and Ear Rings.
Also, Necklaces, Chains, Charms, Seals, Keys,
Lockets, &c. M. W. GALT & BROS.,
ap 10 384 Pa. av., bet. 9th and 10th sts.

MR. W. HENRY FARMER'S
Five Dollars Per Quarter.
Apply at GEORGE HILBUSH'S Music Depot,
Pennsylvania avenue. mar 14-1f

EVENING STAR.

(WRITTEN FOR THE STAR.)
AN ARKANSAS STORY.

Some time ago I thought I would like to
live on Red River, Arkansas. I picked out
and purchased what would now be called a
nice little "forty" of good bottom land in a
bend of the river, with the best of not the only
landing in the vicinity. I made my clearing
and put up several improvements.
Several years ago I was visited on a fine
morning by a company of grave individuals,
the foremost of whom, Mr. Brown, thus ad-
dressed me:

"Look-a-here, stranger, we've been buyin'
land all round you, and your land sorter
interferes with our'n. We want to cut a road
to the river and have a steamboat landing,
and you've got the one piece of bluff on the
river that'll do for one. We'll want the en-
tire clearing for our warehouses and things,
the whole up country stands in now, and I
can't say as I think much of that Indian title
of yours."

"Now the road I did not object to. It would
improve my property. But my property I
decidedly objected to giving up.
"Well," said I, "Mr. Brown, the road
ought to be cut, I suppose; I can't allow my
individual wishes to stand against the wants
of the whole community. Still I can't help
selling a sort of right to my land—I've put
up improvements, and I hate, besides, to be
driven out so unceremoniously."
"Well, stranger, you've got some show,
sure enough. I'd feel just that way myself.
Our boys must pretty strong, but we ain't the
sort to jump on any man because he's small
sized, particularly just after coming out of a
bar fight, such as I heard you had down in
alligator bend, you and another man."

"Yes, said I, we had to go inside the bear's
den, and both got considerably scratched."
"Oh, I know you ain't the kind its healthy
to fight with. But you've got sense enough to
see you can't stay here. Our boys would run
all over your place, and our boys would al-
ways be tumbling down your fences, hunting
for stock, and doing a good deal of mischief
generally, without meaning it."
"Well," said I, "Mr. Brown, it's useless
for us, the interested parties, to be arguing
our rights. I'll enter into a contract by
which you can get your road, and we'll leave
the rights to be settled by the lawyers."

"I selected a pretty shrewd lawyer.
"Puzzlewig," said I,